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Mrs. Mary D'Andrea  
U.S. District Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania  
Middle District of Pennsylvania  
228 Walnut Street  
Room 1060  
Harrisburg, PA 17108

**RE: Docket No. 02-3686**  
**Kenney vs. Mendez**  
**D.C. No. 00-cv-02143**

Dear Mrs. D'Andrea:

Enclosed is a certified copy of the judgment together with copy of the opinion in the above-entitled case(s). The certified judgment is issued in lieu of a formal mandate and is to be treated in all respects as a mandate.

Kindly acknowledge receipt for same on the enclosed copy of this letter.

Counsel are advised of the issuance of the mandate by copy of this letter. A copy of the certified judgment is also enclosed showing costs taxed, if any.

Very truly yours,  
MARCIA M. WALDRON  
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*Phyllis Ruffin*  
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Case Manager

Enclosure

cc:

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